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At the Same High Prices, Making it Impossible For the Small Calibre Wells to Pay.

OIL WELL SUPPLIES REMAIN

Oil Market Continues its Decent Without Interruption, and on the Other Hand.

edicted in last week's review the am market has dropped several nd from every indication "the The outlook in the field points to a larger develthan was first expected when nes gusher made its advent. who have made a careful study reographical formation in this have no hesitancy in saying large area of that section of y is underlaid with the Chipsand formation, and that it is question of time until a larger nent will materialize. The vene wildcatter is in evidence in direction from the late gushe or miles in advance from the levelopment. An old scout who ust returned from a tour of in-on of the new Gaines developsays the woods are full of wildentures and it will be very strange some of them do not strike somegusher has materially declined in ers of small-calibre terri

reducers of small-called with clew the present situation with st and see but little hope for the come. They some time to come. They realize, with the market deprega the development of prollife terriand also the mandate of the oil
supply magnates just proclaimed,
it is simply impossible for them to
ceute operations without going in
hole. When the market commencts descent unopposed far below all
pipations, they felt reasonably sure
would find relief in a reduction in
the prices when have a long ruled. rices that have so long ruled il supplies, but in this they disappointed. The oil well rely disappointed. The oil well y men hays just met in Pitts and as a result of their delibergiven the operator and contraction outliers and that the old prices orwall. They tell the producers setions are justified upon the distance of the producers are justified upon the cout his present rates, and if alers want their goods they must be prices demanded. The supply a prohibitory law to the productional calibre territory, for to opin the face of their adverse contsout of the question.

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this writing the market has dropto \$143 and before many more
s it is expected another cut will
w. This reduction does not perto Pennsylvania oil alone, but exis to the Ohio and Indiana fields, as

tends to the Ohio and Indiana fields, as well.

The average producer has never stopped long enough to compare the prices of crude with the prices of the refined products and in reality does not know that upon principles of equality he is not getting near the value of this product. The high figures demanded for export oil and the various products justifies a 22 market for crude. Just why the producer is discriminated against is more than the-average oil man can understand. If refined and the bi-products are kept up why should not the market for crude be kept in sympathy with refined?

A careful review of the new Gaines development in the northern region reveals the fact that it is one of the most active witnessed in the northern divisciples.

he fact that it is one of the most witnessed in the northern divisr many years. The big well is sentive to all this and many hope operations to find a duplicate to sher. Operations are increasing a Allegheny river along the line on Forest and Venango counties, company has just been organisthe drill will be set a-bobbing in days on a 1,000-acre tract. Other shave secured large blocks of my in this latitude and in a short is section of oildow will present.

If you have it, you You

know it. Tou know all about the heavy feeling in the stomach, the formation of gas, the nausea, sick headache, and general weakness of and general weakness of the whole body.

You can't have it a week without your blood being impure and your nerves all exhausted. There's just one remedy for you—

There's nothing new about it. Your grandparents took it. 'Twas an old Sarsaparilla before other sarsaparillas were known. It made the word 'Sarsaparilla' famous over the whole world.

There's no other sarsaparilla like it. In age and power to cure it's "The leader of them all."

\$1.00 a bettle. All druggists. Ayer's Pills cure constipation. After antifering terribity I was luced to try your Sarsaparila. I lik three bottles and now feel like sew man. I would advise all my low creatures torry this medicine, if has stood the test of time and curative power campt be exceed. I.D. Good, an. 20, 1829. Browntown, Va.

Write the Booter.
You have any complaint whatever dealer the best medical advice you possibly receive, write the dotter (y. You will receive a prumpt restitud cost. Address.
DR.J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mais,

Greene county, Pennsylvania, this cak produced several good-sized wells. Greene county. Pennsylvania this work produced several sood-sized wells, but the long-expected developing of a new prollife pool is as far away as ever. The South Penn Oil Company, who are the heaviest operators in Greene county, drew several handsome strices, ranging in production from fifty to one hundred barrels a day.

The developments to the north from the old Stout field in Doddridge county, West Virginia, made rather a paor record and were mostly small flairs. One or two experimental wells were finished up, but their record, as a dusty one.

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The Whiteman farm well, in Harrison county. West Virginia, in the Wallace district, is still maintaining its remarkable production of four bundred barrels a day. At this writing the South Penn Oil Company has another well on the Ashcroft farm, about one mile to the mortheast from the big well. This is purely a test well and the result is awaited with more than ordinary interest. This venture is being drilled in on the quiet and the owners evidently propose to know what they have found before the public' is acquainted, with the facis. If he South Penn people should find in the venture a duplicate of the Whiteman farm well a large tract of prollific territory will surely be opened up.

The big Mills tract, Wetzel county, West Virginia, produced another gushor this week and is the largest well in oildom to-day. The venture is the sole property of the Kanawha Oil Company and is making a production of 500 barrels a day. It cannot be classed in the category of wildcats, nor is it an experimental well, as its location is within the lines of defined territory. If was the general verdict of the talent that it would be a well, but no one thought that a thirty-barrel-an-bur well would be developed. This is a Gordon sand venture, and shows beyond doubt the richness of this formation, and which has so long been responsible for maintaining the large daily average. A few new wells of this calibre will bring the new production to a high figure.

In the same county, on Woods Run, the South Penn Oil Company found a handsome producer on the J. A. Lanty farm. The first twenty-four hours the well made nearly three hundred and forty barrels a day.

Wolf Summit's record this week is by no means a brilliant one. All or nearly all the wells completed in defined territory were small producers, while several test ventures proved either failures or small producers, while several test ven

veropment of a single paying well. Of the contrary, eight or ten wells hav been completed in each state and large acreage of territory condemned In Tennessee several good gasser were found, but no oil encountered to speak of.

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Late reports from the Texas oil field says the Corsteana pool is not looking as well-as in the past few months. The oild producers are beginning to show the white feather, while nearly salit he advanced wells came in rank dusters.

The oild Garner pool has received a decided set-back by the completion of a brace of dusters to the southwest of the oild development. It was in this direction that an extension was hoped for, and in fact confidently looked for by the best informed of the talent. All of these wells were drilled by the South Penn Oil Company and located upon the Paugh farm, and the other one was owned by Stender & Company, located on the Huggins property. The first party, however, evened up matters by scoring it, one hundred barrel well on the Hungy Garner farm. This week the Eclipse Oil Company, somited of a very important test well, located on the supportant test well, located on the supportant test well, located on the party for the supportant test well, located on the supportant test well, located one and three-outer miles to the well on the Henry Garner tarm, the weak the Eclipse of D. Company sempled ed a very important test well, located one and three-quarter miles to the northeast from the Garner developments and was dry in all formations. There was a little show of oil in the Gordon in this venture, and it was thought possible that a producer might be made out of it by administering a liberal shot, but the fates were agains any such results, as a shot made no improvement.

THE SCOUT.

SAID IN SHORT WORDS.

A Strong Talk in Monosyllables by An Ohio Man.

Chicago Chronicle: In these days, turgid eloquence when public speakers seem to vie with one another to see how many triple-jointed words they can lug into a speech and seem to scorn the strength and beauty of short words, an address delivered many years ago by A. P. Edgerton, of Ohio, has peculiar P. Edgerton, of Ohlo, has peculiar weight, and is an eloquent argument in favor of short, direct methods of speech. Mr. Edgerton is a former member of Congress, and was civil service commissioner under President Cleveland. The address was delivered in 1882 at the commencement of the Fort Wayne high school, in Indiana, and while it was impromptit and not at all a studied effort at monosylinhic diction. studied effort at monosyliable diction, each of the words it contains is a monosyliable. Not only that, but as an oratorical effort it ranks high. The address is as follows:

"This day we close for the year the

Fort Wayne free schools and we now part with you, the boys and girls we are

This day we close for the year the Fort Wayne free schools and we now now rat with you, the boys and girls we are no more to teach.

"I say girls and boys, for when three score and ten years have come to you you will be glad to have your friends say that health and peace of mind have kept your heart's warm; that you were brow of gloom. Are not borne down with age. hut still, in heart, are girls and boys. When these years come, and I hope they will come to all, the tide of time will roll back and fail you of your school-time days, when the fair, the kind, and the true found love, but the kind, and the true found love, but the faise heart found no friend, no tongues to praise. These days bring fich gifts age, and when your shahed to them you will have been here taught in the hope that the free schools of Fort Wayne would help om make you of use to your friends and to the world, would give you faith in all that is good and true, and lead you to seek works for that you must s ek and of if you would have a good name, wealth, a home, a charge to keep or a trust to serve. Go forth with a bold, true heart to seek the work for you to to. "Keep in mind that the hours to to work heart to seek the work for you to to." "Keep in mind that the hours to the contained to the work for you to to work heart to seek the work for you to to." "Keep in mind that the hours to the contained to the work for you to to work heart to seek the work for you to the contained to the work for you to to would heart to seek the work for you to to you would have a good name, we alth, a home, a charge to keep or a trust to seek the work for you to the contained to the twenty flowers and they are the twenty-flowers and they have a good name, the twenty-flowers and the twenty-flowers and the twenty-flowers and they have the hard the trust for the twenty-flowers the twenty-flowers as follows: Makes Eva Walton, Add Is a follows: Misses Eva Walt

do.

"Keep in mind that the hours to work run through each day and that God's great law of life is. In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread."

"Now, for you, young man, this truth is told.

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"Go where you will through the world and you will find on the front door of shops and mills, of stores and baffles, and on ships, on farms, on roads, in deep mines where men tolf for wealth: where laws are made that make some men too rich and men of worth and work through all our land too poor: where men by law are insight, that charge will have the reshyterian church in New Martinsylli, Sunday.

The Don't fear, Siep up and ask for work; brains will get up and ask for work; brains will get up and ask for work; brains will get up and ask for thou wait on it would—like the cat that loves fish, but dares not wet her foot.

"If it be said, "What can you de? Will you learn a trade" say, I have none, but I can learn one and yut brains in it. "When you to to a place where brains should hunt for work and where brains abould hunt for work and will be graded t

Cured Permanently by the American Catarrh Remedy, Pe-ru-na.



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says: "My wife had been suffering from a complication of diseases for 25 years. Pe-ru-na, for I feel it saved my life." "Her case had baffled the skill of some

"Her case had backed the skill of some of the most noted physicians. One of her worst troubles was chronic constipation of several years' standing. She also suffered with general debility and paroxyams—sometimes as often as six or eight times a day. At this time she was passing through that most critical period in the life of woman—change of life.

Mr. J. W. Draper, Gainsboro, Tenn, writes: "For many years I had been a continual sufferer from that dreadful disease, chronic catarrh. I gave up hopes of ever being relieved. I tried every remedy

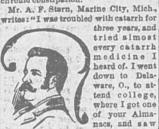
passing through that most critical period in the life of woman—change of life.

"In June, 1993, I wrote to you about her case. You advised a course of Peru-na and Man-a-lin, which we at once commenced, and have to say it has completely cured her. She firmly believes that she would have been dead only for these wonderful remedies.

"About he same time I wrote you about my own case of catarrh, which was of 25 years' standing, and at times I got up. I continued it, improving all was of 25 years' standing, and at times I was almost past going. I commenced

cured me.
"I have to say that your remedies do all you claim for them, and even more. ferson street, Springfield, O., writes Catarrh cannot exist where Perruna is

taken according to directions. Mana-lin is a most wonderful medicine for chronic constipation." Mr. A. F. Stern, Marine City, Mich.



mscs, and saw for estarrh. I was almost discouraged with trying all kinds of medicine, but my room-mate told me that your medicine was all right, and so I tried it. After taking seven bottles according to directions, I was cured and felt like a new man. I recommend it to all who are suffering with this dreadful disease. It is the best medicine for catarrh. I were my health to you.

Mrs. J. A. Bashor, Knoxville, Tenn., writes: "My health was completely bro- hopeless people are permanently cured

no relief until Pe-ru-na was recom- advice, whichever you most need,

be sure to find it, it may be said to you

Mr. John O. Atkinson, Independence, mended to me by a friend. I have taken Mo., in a recent letter to Dr. Hartman, one and a half bottles and am today

Mr. J. W. Draper, Gainsboro, Tenn.

got up. I continued it, improving al the time, until I am now almost a sound was almost pass good using Perona according to your instructions, and continued its use for about a year, and it has completely years ago."

This happened four years ago."

Mrs. Rachel A. Magaw, 67 West Jefgold. I feel like a 0.8

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ware, O., to attend college, where I got one I shall never be without Peruna, and of your Almanacs, and saw to be a sure cure for catarrh. I can't

Mrs. J. A. Bashor, Knoxville, Tenn., and free correspondence a multitude of writes: "My health was completely browrites: "My neath was completely proken down and had been for almost a
year. I could not rest day or night, but
suffered constantly unfold misery.
Tried remedy after remedy; but found
Columbus, O. Ask for free books or free

> BELLAIRE HAPPENINGS Matters of Interest in the Metropolis of Belmont County.

be sure to find it, it may be said to you. Do you see that plow? Can you hold and drive it deep? That plaw, in its wise use, gives all men food.

"Do you see that wheel and that crank and those shafts and that press, and do you hear the rush and that press, and do you hear the rush and the hiss of the steam which noves them? Can you make and hold and run them? Can you make and hold and run them? Can you whell and drive the works and wheels which make the wealth of the earth and cause it to roll and it float to and fro from place to place, where it is the best for man b use it?

"Can you spin the thread and weave it which makes robes for kings and silks for the rich and vain, and dress for the poor, and all that skill and art have wrought by loon and hand for man's use.

"These things are all shot through The Democratic county committe will meet here on the 22d to fix the time and place for their county convent and perhaps select the delegates to the and perhaps select the designes to the state convention. The Democratic con-gressional convention will not be held prior to their national convention, and there are no candidates for that nomi-nation. They are waiting and hoping that something will turn up to give them an issue

them an issue.

There was the largest attendance of Knights Templars from the river front at St. Clairsville Thursday evening, that there has ever been, and a class of thirteen candidates were knighted. The train returning reached the river front before 2 o'clock in the morning. Twelve of the candidates were from this city and Martin's Ferry. have wrought by loon and hand for man's use.
"These things are ill shot through with threads of light—he light of mind and art and skill while shines each day more bright and dim all the old by some new-found lighters the years go on."

MOUNDSVILLE BUDGET.

Yesterday's News From Marshall County's Chief City.

The twenty-Surth annual commencement of the Moundsville high.

MOUNDSVILLE BUDGET.

F. C. Husbands, who formerly ran the Windsor hotel in this city, but who was unfortunate, has hit it rich with a graphite mine in the vicinity of Philadelphia, and is now in better shape than ever he was. His Bellaire friends are glad to learn he is fortunate again. class was corposed of eight graduates, as follows: Misses Eva Walton, Ada is Gatts, Melle Döhrity, Nellie B. Smith, Elli-Lee Hammond, Mary P. Pattle and Messes. Wylle Rogerson and Harry Sesson received their diplomas. The memers of the class acquitted themselvs with high honors. The Symphon orchestra rendered some very finemusic. The attendance was the larget that ever greeted a graduation of the class acquitted themselvs with high honors. The Symphon orchestra rendered some very finemusic. The attendance was the larget that ever greeted a graduation of the class acquitted themselvs with high honors. The stendance was the larget that ever greeted a graduation of the class acquitted themselvs with high honors. The stendance was the larget that ever greeted a graduation of the class acquitted themselvs with high honors. The students are glad to learn he is fortunate again. People in the rural sections of this county report the frost of last Wednesday night as the most damaging yet. In some places ice was formed and it is believed fruit was considerably hurt, though it is not all thought to be killed. Hardy quietly stole a march on their fellows and when to St. Clairsville last themselvs and the factories of the county report the frost of last Wednesday night as the most damaging yet. In some places ice was formed and it is believed fruit was considerably hurt, though it is not all thought to be killed. Hardy quietly stole a march on their friends are glad to learn he is fortunate again. People in the rural sections of this county report the frost of last Wednesday night as the most damaging yet. In some places ice was formed and it is believed fruit was considerably hurt, though it is not all thought to be killed. Hardy quietly stole a march on their friends are glad to learn he is fortunate again. People in the rural sections of this county report the frost of last Wednesday night as the most damaging regards and the section of the county report the friends and to lear he is now in the section of the section of

entertainment will be given in Odd Fellows' hall and a banquet in Armery

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Planos. Call and see them or write for
prices. F. W. BAUMER CO.
Wheeling, W. Va.

"Queen Esther" will be given at the new opera house Monday and Tuesday, evenings of next week. Mayor Freeze disposed of one plain druhk yesterday, and that made up the record of his court.

John's Rogers will leave for New York Anday, to accept a position as conduct on an electric line in that city.

Mrs. I, P. Carpenter entertained the graduaing cass of the high school last evening at he home on Eighth street.

J. C. Devine of Wheeling, was in the city vesterdaylooking after the sale of the Oco Oil Capan's property.

Rev. W. A. Wijans will conduct the services, at the reabyterian church in New Martinsylli, Sunday.

Dr. S. D. Griffill of Bealisville, Ohio.

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complished, owing to the pace that there were no representatives present at the meetings on several occasions, except the Martin's Perry conlingent, who have attended every moeting and expressed a desire to unionize since the

Mrs. Lida Holloway Houston, of Pas-Mrs. Lida Holloway Houston, of Pasndens, Cal., formerly of this city, has
donated the old Holloway homestead
in Kirkwood valued at about \$10,000 to
the Methodist Episcopal churches of
this district, to be used as a deaconcesses home. It is indeed a most
gracious offer and one which is highly
appreciated by residents of Bridgeport,
WE offer this week some rare bargains in sample and alightly shop-worn
Pianos. Call and see them or write for
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Wheeling, W. Va.

A meeting of the faremen and the
Kirkwood Council, O. U. A. M., was
held last evening, to further arrangements for their fair and festival, to be
given early in June.

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The Epworth League of the First Methodist Episcopal church will have charge of the services at the church to-morrow evening, it being the eleventh Mrs. Isabelle Nicholson, of the West

End, left yesterday for New York, from where she will sail Monday for Eng-land, to visit relatives for several

Mrs. Sherman Pietcher, who has been be guest of the family of R. T. Howell a Kirkwood, for a couple of wasks, re-irned yesterday to her home at Zanes-ille. The hours for Sunday services at the English Lutheran church have been hanged and hereafter will be 10:45 a. a. and 7:45 p. m.

Branum Post, G. A. R., met last even-ing and John Evans, a delegate to the state encampment at Findlay, made

Rev. F. D. Holtz will fill the pulpit of the First M. E. church in Wellsville to-morrow, morning and evening. Mrs. Harry Beck has gone to New-port, Ohio, to spend several days with her parents.

Miss Maggie Theaker, of Mt. Pleasant, is spending a few days with friends in the city.

William Koehnline, jr., who has been ery ill with typhol fever, is slowly im-roving.

George Bresock has returned from a usiness trip to Bethany. W. V. Campbell is in Cleveland on

MARTIN'S FERRY NEWS. The Daily Chronicle of Wheeling's

Progressive Neighbor. Charles Neigart, of Bridgepost, while riving in this city yesterday morning stopped his horse on Main street and

stopped his norse on anim steet and left it standing untied. The animal took fright and ran off, and near the National Glass Company's plant ran into a post, badly wrecking the buggy. The horse was finally caught, without having been injured. Mythin the last few days the congre-ation of the United Presbyterian-hurch received an offer of \$5,000 for the ile on which the old building stood, but ave decided not to accept the offer on count of the advancement made on

the new edifice. the new edifice.

Work will probably be commenced the first of the week putting in shape the grounds upon which the firemen's tournament will be held. Maloney Bros, have volunteered the use of their large street roller, with which to do the

Charles and William Harrison were trrested yesterday morning by Marshai 2rvin, on a warrant sworn out by Scott Lewis charging them with using abus-ve language. They were later fined \$5 and costs by Mayor Goodhue.

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"Skipper" Davidson, who was taken
to St. Clairsville Thursday, became
yery noisy in the prison yesterday, and
was taken to the county infirmary. He
will probably be taken to Columbus the
first of the week

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R. P. J. Drennen and sister, Miss Margaretta, leave to-day for Grand-view, to spend several days with their sister, Mrs. W. D. Cochran.

The high school picnicked at Wheeling park yesterday. On account of the threatening weather the attendance was rather small. Mrs. Albert Stead, of New Brighton arrived here yesterday and will be the guest of relatives for a week in the

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. VanPelt were at Pleasant Valley yesterday, attending the funeral of the former's aunt, Mrs. J. R. Acker.

The S. B. O. B. will entertain their riends Friday evening. May 18, at the residence of Gray Shreve, on the "Heights."

The members of the G. A. R. from this city that attended the state en-campment at Findlay, returned home vesterday. Miss Lillian Bell, of Youngstown, is the guest for a couple of weeks of the family of William Selby, in the Fifth ward.

Squire Paisley and Colonel Webber, of Irondals, Ohio, were business and social visitors in the city yesterday. Miss Ida Ferrang's class at the South school will spend the day in the country, weather permitting.

The new time table on the Cleveland & Pittsburgh railroad will be out Sunday, May 27.

H. S. Wilson, of Fairmont, was a business caller in the city yeaterday. Charles Otto and Frank Hissrich were n Yorkville yesterday, on business E. J. A. Drennen was in St. Clairs-ville on business yesterday.

MILLIONS drink Cook's Imperial Extra Dry Champagne every year and the numbers are rolling up with a rush.

A Night of Terror.

"Awfulanxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham, of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night. "All thought she must soon die from Pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, saying it had more than once aswed her. begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, saying it had more than once saved her life, and had cured her of Consumption. After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and \$100, Trial bottles free at the Logan Drug Co.'s drug store.

A Monster Devil Fish.

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Destroying its victim, is a type of Constipation. The power of this murderous malady is felt on organs and nerves and muscles and brain. There's no health till it's overcome. But Dr. King's New Life Pilis are a safe and certain cure. Best in the world for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels. Only 25 cents at the Logan Drug Co's drug store.

FAMILY WASHING.
Rough Dry Washed, Starched and
Dried 5 cents per pound.
Flat Work, Washed and Ironed, 5
cents per pound.
All hand work finished 10 cents
per pound. At LUTZ BROS.
Home Steam Laundry. CASTORIA Bears the Bignature Charles Hutchers

News Notes from the Busy Marshall County Yown.

There was little surprise felt here at the news of the suicide at Addison, the county seat of Webster county, of Dr. L. E. Wyckoff, who was addicted to the use of cocaine and other narcotics. His unsuccessful attempt in the same line when he was tocated in Benwood, less than a year ago, will be remembered. The doctor's domestic life was unhappy, his wife having separated from him, and he evidently was tired of liv ing. His personal appearance suggested ill-health, as he was slight of frampale and cadaverous, and with bright

Surveyors for the Wheeling Railway company, or possibly the proposed Un-ontown, Waynesburg & West Virginia

the moving spirit.

James Mitchell, one of the men injured at the Riverside boller explosion,
several weeks ago, is sable to be out on
the streets. One of his legs was broken
and he is forced to use crutches at

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gains in sample and slightly shop-worn Planos. Call and are them or write for prices. F. W. BAUMER CO., Wheeling, W. Va. The funeral of Mrs. McDonald, mother of Dr. J. W. McDonald, will occur from the home of the latter this afternoon. The interment will be at Spring Grove cemetery, Cincinnati.

Rev. Paul Metrenthin conducted the funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Katharine Sorge yesterday after-noon. The interment was at Mount Zion remetery. \$10 A DAY EASILY MADE TAK Best book. Best terms. Credit. Full out fit free. STANDARD PUBLISHING CO

Beginning to-morrow, the Benwood southern cars will be run on the twen-y minute scale, instead of every thirty ninutes, as heretofore.

"The Rough Rider," the play given by home talent successfully on Tuesday night, will be repeated at the city hall, on May 18. An entertainment will be given at the city hall, May 25, by the pupils of rooms Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, of the Central

WANTED-MAN OF GOOD CHARAC W TER; deliver and collect for out tablished manufacturing house; Eco year and expenses guaranteed. Addr Manufacturer, third floor, 331 Dearb manufacturer, third floor, 331 Dearb Among North Benwood children ther is a number of cases of measles and typhoid fever.

McMECHEN NOTES.

Daily Items of Interest About People and Events.

A GENTS, MEN AND WOMEN, ARE you willing to work honestly and faithfully for \$30 weekly? If so, write us. Our goods are sold and consumed in every family, and a permanent business can be established. New goods and new catalogue. Dept. 139, MUTUAL MFG CO., New York. my? WE offer this week some rare gains in sample and slightly shop-Planos. Call and see them or writ prices. F. W. RAUMER CO 13 3 complete 14-k gol filled gents or ladies' watches down . 35 5, worth 33 50. New laddes' or gent Bicycles are now being sold for 312 5, or of the best made wheels in the country also ladies' or gent 14-k gold-fille watches, goods known to every retaile watches, goods known to see the self-gent of the self-gen

Joe Donaldson, a Baltimore & Ohl

switchman in the yards here, was badly bruised and cut about the head yester-day morning, by being hit by a car. Harry Fletcher is able to be out, af ter injuries received on the Baltimore & Ohio. His wrists were both broken Mrs. John Showacre, of Crafton, Pa., was in town this week, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. John-

W. B. McMechen and wife, and S. West and wife were among friends at Moundsville last evening.

Mrs. George Artz, wife, of Mayor Artz, is confined to her home with a se-vere attack of the grip.

Clarence Hart and Ed. Jeffers, two McMechen boys, have returned from a trip to St. Louis.

John Conner, a son of Martin Conner convalescent after undergoing a sur-ical operation. Earl Gillingham has returned hom rom Florida, where he spent the pasen months.

Misses Tennie and Nellie Kerns will pend to-day with Wheeling friends. Dr. S. L. Riggs and family, of Board ree, are visiting friends in town. Andrew Howard, of Cameron, is vis-ting his son, Frank Howard.

location in the city, Enquire of R. B. Mc Lain, Young's Pharmacy, Chapline and Twelfth. Mrs. C. D. Lewis is suffering from a selon on her hand. Fred Kern is at Cumberland, Md., vis-FOR RENT.... 5 rooms with modern conveniences at 1065 Main street. STORAGE Warehouse at Main and Tenth streets. Money advanced. Ap-ply to JAMES L. HAWLEY, Real Estate and Loans, 1065 Main St. Fred Stuck has returned home from

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Doings of People in the Brooke County Metropolis.

deaths of two old people of red on Thursday, Austin Bowman, col ored, perhaps the oldest man in Wellsburg, died at an early hour in the morning, aged eighty-eight years, and in the evening Mrs. Edward Tyers.

aged seventy-two years.

Interest in the Republican primary election, which occurs two weeks from to-day, is growing. The senantorial contest has heretofore overshadowed everything else, but the candidate for t everything else, but the candidate for sherif, prosecuting attorney and as-sessor are working hard and a heavy vote will be polled.

workmen began yesterday, at the south end of Charles street, tearing up the brick paying and excavating for the electric railway. A good force is employed, consisting mostly of colored men brought here from a distance, and the work will be pushed rapidly to completion.

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Every seat in the opera house was taken for last night's entertainment by the public school children. It was a very pleasing performance of "The Enchanted Wood," and reflected credit on the children, their teachers and parants. WE offer this week some rare bar-

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Col. Alex. Campbell, of Bethany, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. B. C. Hag-erman, at Lexington, Ky. erman, at Lexington, sy.

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